

# Beaverton Police

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**The Beaverton Police Department will be participating in a Three Flags safety belt enforcement campaign from September 13 through September 26. The Beaverton Police Department will pursue the goals of the Three Flags Campaign through an active and highly visible law enforcement presence.**

**The Three Flags Campaign is an international selective traffic enforcement program and involves hundreds of law enforcement agencies in Oregon, Washington, and British Columbia. The goal of the Three Flags Campaign is to reduce the number of motor vehicle related deaths and injuries by increasing public awareness of law regarding safety belt use and other traffic issues including DUII and speed violations.**

**Oregon's crash fatality and injury rates have dropped 53% and 43% respectively, since passage of the adult belt law in 1989. The Beaverton Police Department urges everyone to buckle up and ensure children are properly secured in child safety seats.**